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For: METHOD FOR THE PRODUCTION OF

POWDERED CONDENSED RESINS

Examiner: M. P. Theodore

RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

MS Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Madam:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated October 24, 2008, reconsideration of the application and prompt allowance of the pending claims are respectfully requested in light of the following remarks:

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 2 of this paper.

Enclosures include a Petition for a one-month Extension of Time.